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Applicants: O. IMAICHI, et al

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AMENDMENT

MS Amendment

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

August 7, 2006

In response to the Office Action dated March 7, 2006, the period for reply thereto being extended two months by the attached Petition for Extension of Time to expire August 7, 2006, reconsideration and withdrawal of the outstanding rejections and allowance of the present application are respectfully requested in view of the following amendments and remarks.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2.

Remarks are included following the amendments.